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SUBJECT: CCMS: ALTERNATIVE AUTOMOTIVE POWER SYSTEMS (AAPS)

CONTRACTORS' COORDINATION MEETING, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN, MAY 6-8, 1975

1. REQUEST EMBASSIES PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM GEORGE THUR
TO FOLLOWING PERSONS:

LONDON - GEORGE DONALD, DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

PARIS - M. FRYBOURG, INSTITUT DE RECHERCHE DES TRANSPORT

ROME - VINCENZO OPPORTUNO, MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT

THE HAUGE - JOHAN G. KUIPERBAK, HIGHWAY TRAFFIC SERVICE

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FRG - PETER MENKE-GLUCKERT, FEDERAL MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR

- DIETRICH HARTMANN, FEDERAL ENVIRONMENTAL AGENCY

STOCKHOLM - OLLE LJUNGSTROM, SWEDISH BOARD FOR TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT

TOKYO - KOTARO SHIMO, MINISTRY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND INDUSTRY

BEGIN MESSAGE

"THE NEXT ALTERNATIVE AUTOMOTIVE POWER SYSTEMS (AAPS)
CONTRACTORS' COORDINATION MEETING WILL BE HELD MAY 6-8,
1975, AT THE MARRIOTT INN, 3600 PLYMOUTH ROAD, ANN ARBOR, MICHIGAN.

THE MEETING WILL START TUESDAY, MAY 6 AT 9:00 AM WITH DISCUSSIONS
COVERING THE NEW GOALS, OBJECTIVES, AND PLANS FOR THE AAPS
PROGRAM IN THE NEW ENERGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ADMINISTRATION
(ERDA). A PRELIMINARY AGENDA FOR THE THREE-DAY MEETING IS ATTACHED.

IN THE PERIOD BETWEEN THIS FORTHCOMING MEETING AND THE PREVIOUS
ONE HELD IN ANN ARBOR IN MAY 1974, TWO NOTEWORTHY EVENTS HAVE
OCCURRED. THE FIRST EVENT WAS THE INTERNATIONAL CCMS/LPPSD
SYMPOSIUM HELD IN DUSSELDORF, FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, IN
NOVEMBER 1974. A SUMMARY OF THIS SYMPOSIUM WILL BE PRESENTED DURING
THE UPCOMING MEETING. THE SECOND EVENT WAS THE TRANSFER OF THE
AAPS FUNCTIONS INTO THE NEW ERDA ORGANIZATION WHICH TOOK PLACE
IN JANUARY 1975. AS NOTED ABOVE, EFFECTS OF THE CHANGE WILL BE
DISCUSSED IN THE TUESDAY MORNING SESSION. WE ANTICIPATE A LARGE
TURNOUT FOR THIS MEETING, THEREFORE, IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND, I WOULD
APPRECIATE YOUR INFORMING THE US EMBASSY OF YOUR HOTEL REQUIRE-
MENTS IF POSSIBLE BY APRIL 23. I LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN
ANN ARBOR, SINCERELY YOURS, GEORGE M. THUR, CHIEF, POWER SYSTEMS
DEVELOPMENT BRANCH, ALTERNATIVE AUTOMOTIVE POWER SYSTEMS DIVISIONS."
END MESSAGE

2. EMBASSIES REQUESTED INFORM EPA ASAP OF ANY RESPONSES RECEIVED.

ATTACHEMENT: MEETING AGENCA

MAY 6, TUESDAY

CHAIRMAN: GEORGE M. THUR, CHIEF, POWER SYSTEMS BRANCH

9:00 AM INTRODUCTION

9:15 ERDA ORGANIZATION

9:30 ERDA TRANSPORTATION GOALS, OBJECTIVES AND PLANS

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10:30 COFFEE BREAK

11:00 ERDA HIGHWAY VEHICLE PLANS

11:45 LUNCH

TRANSPORTATION EFFICIENCY IMPROVEMENT (PROGRAM FOR NEAR-TERM
IMPACT) - CHAIRMAN DYER KENNEY, PROJECT MANAGER

1:15 PM IMPROVED ACCESSORY DRIVE - AIRESEARCH

1:45 TURBO COMPOUNDING THE SPARK IGNITION ENGINE - RICARDO

2:15 ORGANIC RANKINE BOTTOMING CYCLE FOR LONG-HAUL DIESEL TRUCKS-
TECO

2:45 COFFEE BREAK

3:15 HYDROMECHANICAL CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE TRANSMISSION - MACK/

ORSHINSKY

3:45 TRACTION TYPE OF CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE TRANSMISSION - FORD
MOTOR COMPANY

4:15 GUEST PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION

5:00 ADJOURN

5:15 SOCIAL HOUR

MAY 7, WEDNESDAY

GAS TURBINE PROGRAM - CHAIRMAN: TOM SEBESTYEN, PROJECT MANAGER

9:00 AM INTRODUCTION

9:10 BASELINE ENGINE PROJECT - CHRYSLER CORPORATION

10:30 COFFEE BREAK

10:50 BASELINE ENGINE PROJECT SUPPORT - NASA

11:10 INTEGRATED CONTROL SYSTEMS -AIRESEARCH

11:40 GAS BEARING - MTI

11:55 LUNCH

1:30 PM CERAMIC REGENERATOR AND RECUPERATOR - OWENS/ILLINOIS

1:50 CERAMIC REGENERATOR -SYLVANIA

2:10 CERAMIC REGENERATOR - CORNING

2:30 CERAMIC REGENERATOR DESIGN AND RELIABILITY - FORD MOTORRRRI CO.

3:PP COFFEE BREAK

3:20 ADVANCED GAS TURBINE TECHNOLOGY - NASA

3:40 ADVANCED CERAMIC TECHNOLOGY - AMMRC

4:00 PROGRAMMABLE CONTROL

4:15 LOW COST TURBINE WHEEL - P AND W

4:30 GUEST PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION

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5:00 ADJOURN

5:15 SOCIAL HOUR

MAY 8, THURSDAY

RANKINE PROGRAM - CHAIRMAN: STEVE LUCHTER, PROJECT MANAGER

9:00 AM INTRODUCTION

9:05 WATER BASE RECIPROCATING RANKINE SYSTEM PROGRAM - SES

9:35 CURRENT STATUS OF ORGANIC RANKINE TECHNOLOGY- TECO

10:00 COFFEE BREAK

STIRLING ENGINE PROGRAM - CHAIRMAN: KEN BARBER, PROJECT MANAGER

10:15 DESIGN STUDY FOR COMPACT VEHICLE AND STATUS OF FORD 170

HP ENGINE PROGRAM - FORD

AUTOMOBILE H2 STORAGE FEASIBILITY - CHAIRMAN: EUGENE ECKLUND

10:45 SOLAR

11:00 IGT

11:15 EXXON

11:30 H2 ENRICHMENT - JPL

11:50 QUESTIONS

12:00 LUNCH

IMPACT STUDIES - CHAIRMAN: EUGENE ECKLUND

1:30 PM ALTERNATIVE FUELS IMPACT STUDY - SRI

2:15 IMPACT OF ELECTRIC VEHICLE USE IN LOS ANGELES, ST. LOUIS, AND
PHILADELPHIA - GRC

METHANOL CHARACTERIZATION - CHARIMAN: EUGENE ECKLUND

2:45 UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI

3:00 UNIVERSITY OF SANTA CLARA

3:15 ERDA BARTELSVILLE ENERGY RESEARCH CENTER

3:30 QUESTIONS

R:PP ADJOURN KISSINGER

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